

REMARKS:


The claims as presently amended do not include any improper multiple dependent claims.

The amended claims are based on the original ten claims of the international application.

The presently amended claims present a total of seventeen claims which include four independent claims. The present claims also include multiple dependent claims. The filing fee which was paid when the application papers were first deposited on April 28, 2006 were calculated based on a total of seventeen claims; four independent claims and multiple dependent claims. Accordingly, the present Amendment does not require any additional fee.

Entry of this Amendment is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,


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